# FALL 2020 REVENUE ESTIMATING CONFERENCE

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## **GDP\GTP PERCENTAGE RATE FROM 2011 TO 2020**



Source: BOA
Compiled by: DER-OMB

# **U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS VISITOR ARRIVALS**



The USVI Visitors who arrive to the USVI by Airline



#### **Cruise Arrivals**

The USVI Visitors who arrive to the USVI by Cruise Ship



### **Total Visitors**

Total Visitors who arrive to the USVI by both Airline and Cruise Ship

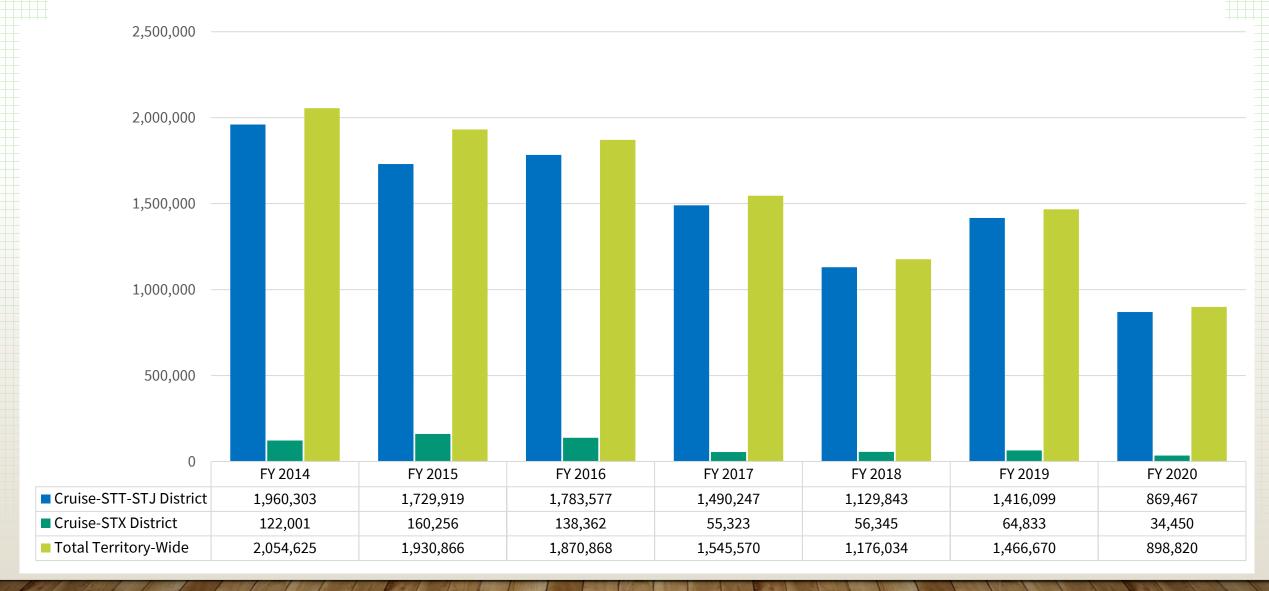
### **AIR ARRIVALS BY DISTRICT FISCAL YEARS 2014-2020**



Source: VIPA

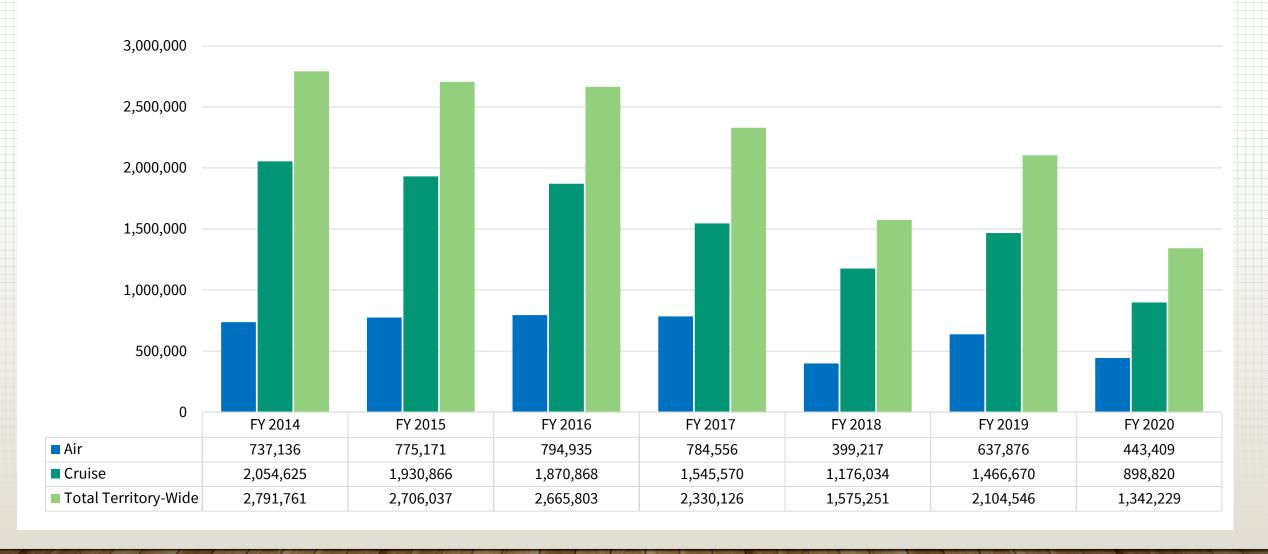
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### **CRUISE ARRIVALS BY DISTRICT FISCAL YEARS 2014-2020**



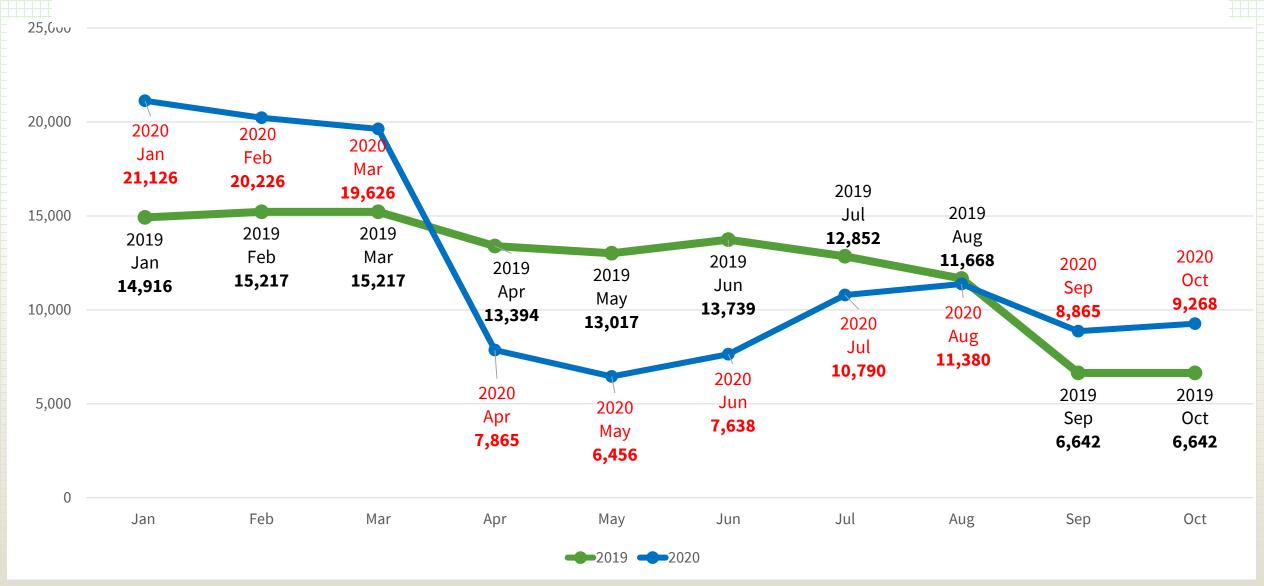
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### **TOTAL VISITOR ARRIVALS FISCAL YEARS 2014-2020**



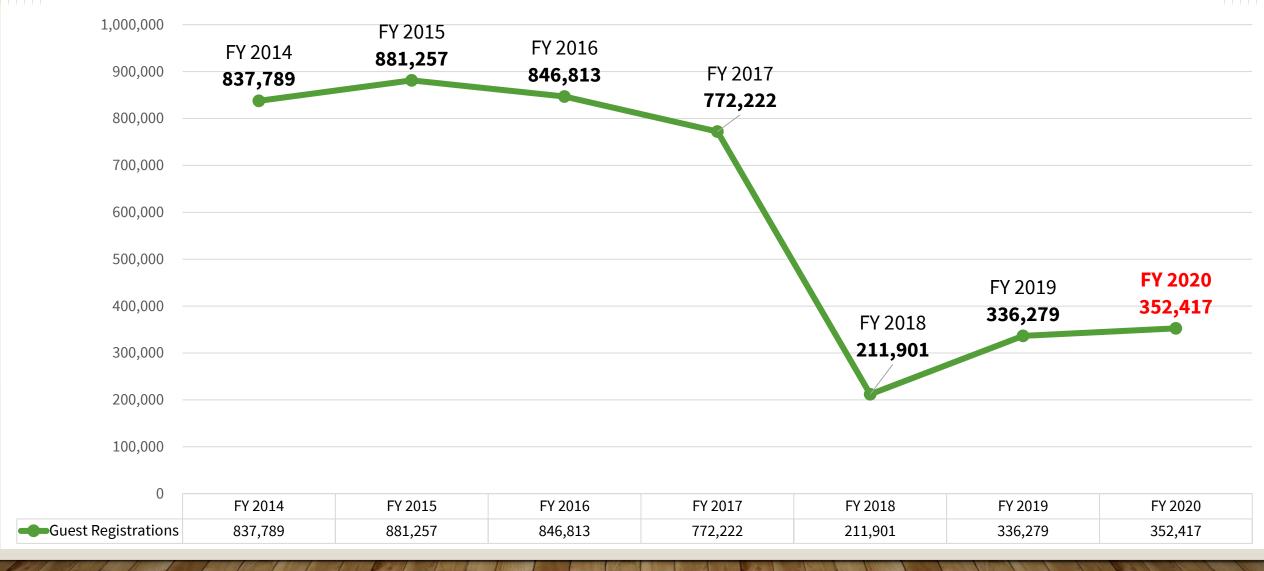
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#### **MAJOR CARRIER DIRECT FLIGHTS CALENDAR OCT 2019- 2020 YTD**



Source: VIPA
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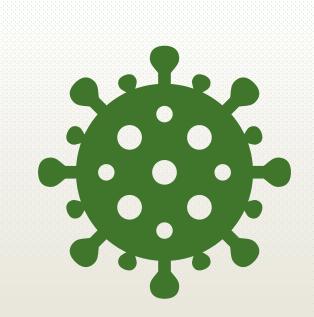
### **GUEST REGISTRATIONS FISCAL YEARS 2014-2020**



Source: VIPA and DOT Compiled by: DER-OMB

# COVID-19 IMPACT: TOURISM ARRIVALS AND EXPENDITURES

 Prior to COVID-19, the USVI could have reasonably received an average 470,814 (quarter IV) in Cruise Passenger Arrivals.

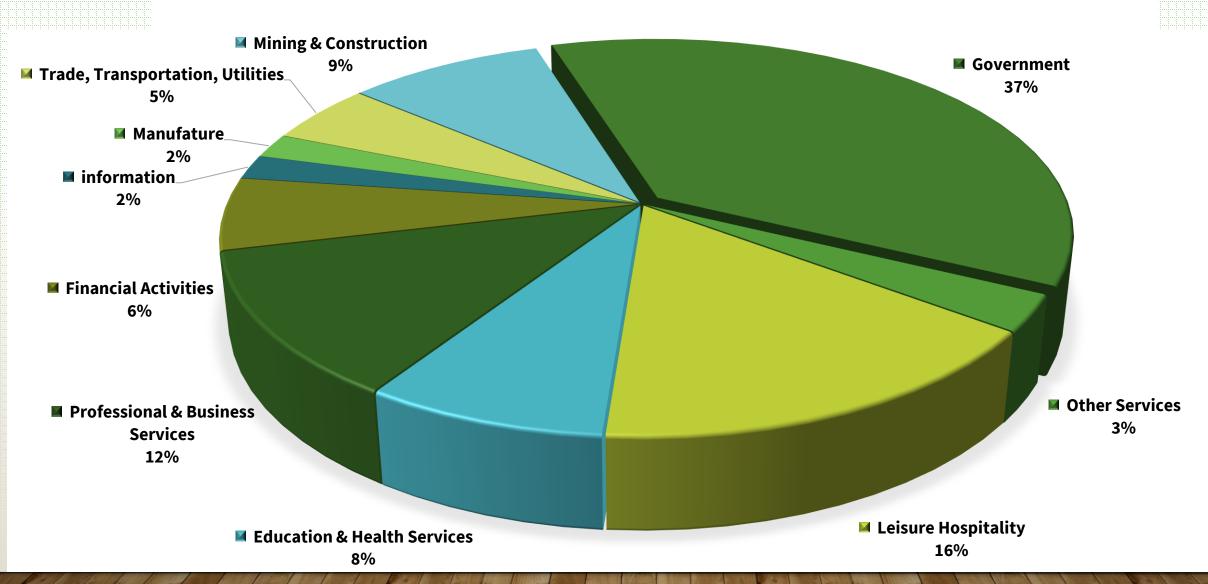


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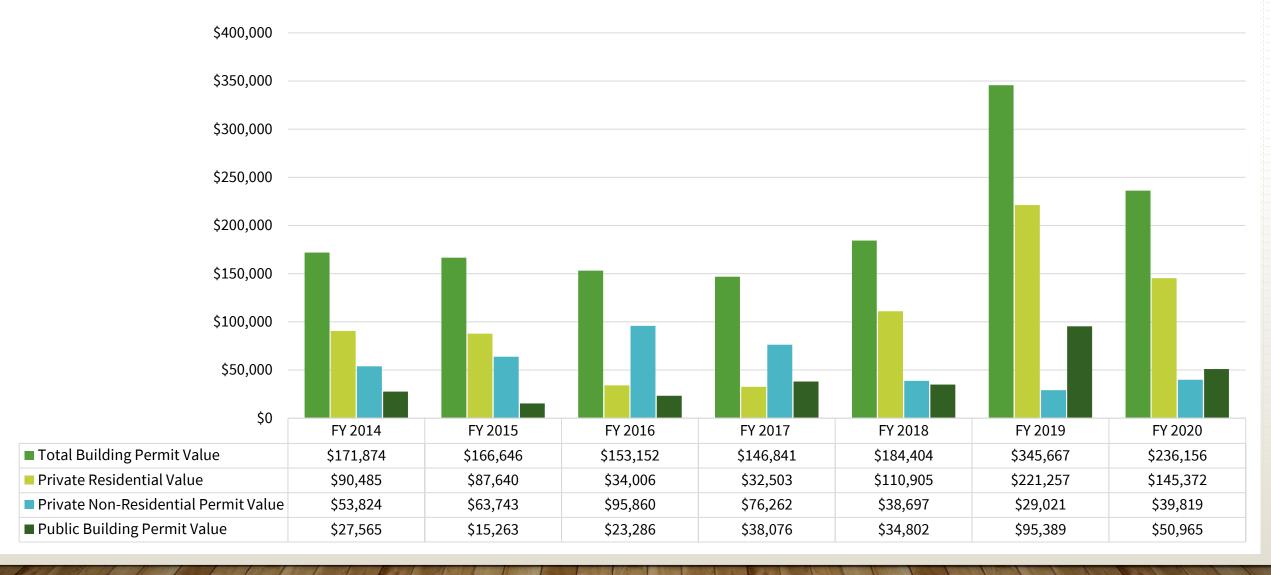
- The projected direct economic loss to cruise passenger arrivals for the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter calendar year is **\$118,174,314**.
- For the fiscal year 2020 Hotel Room Revenues are down approximately 10.5 percent.
- Airbnb room tax collections for FY 2020 are \$2,372,387 a decline of 8.1 percent from FY 2019.
- Annual Tourism Expenditures average \$1.2 Billion annually may fall by \_\_\_\_\_
   percent.

## PERCENT OF NON-AGRICULTURAL JOBS, FY 2020



Source: BLS-DOL
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## **BUILDING PERMITS BY VALUE(\$) FISCAL YEARS 2014-2020**

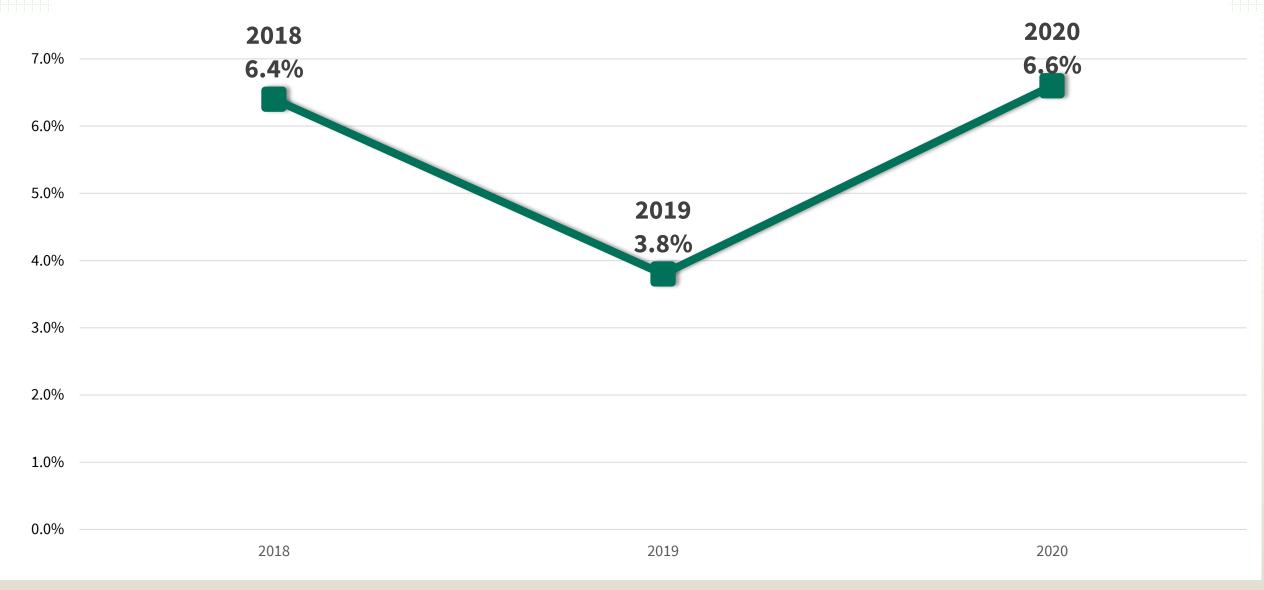


Source:DPNR
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# **REAL ESTATE (\$)VALUE CALENDAR YEARS 2014-2019**



### **USVI CONSUMER PRICE INDEX OCTOBER 2018-2020**



Source: DER-OMB
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## **USVI ECONOMIC OUTLOOK 2020-2021**



GVI Pension funding (GERS) and LBT refinery process (start date unknown).



Studies and funding for planned framework for diversifying economic sectors.



# RECOMMENDED OUTLOOK

Development of economic policies and enabling legislation.

# ANY QUESTIONS?



# **THANK YOU**

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